growth hormone of selected mammals are tabulated below<sup>26</sup>, using standard single letter notation: (SEQ ID NOS 34-52, respectively in order of appearance)

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 22 at line 1 with the following rewritten paragraph:

A. Synthesis of pentadecapeptide comprising amino acid residues 177-191 of native human growth hormone, designated as hGH (177-191) (Ref No. 9401): (SEQ ID NO: 1)

Please replace the paragraphs beginning on page 25 at lines 21 and 29 16 with the following rewritten paragraphs, respectively:

Synthesis of pentadecapeptide (Ref No. 9404): (SEQ ID NO: 1)

Synthesis of the pentadecapeptide (Ref No. 9410): (SEQ ID NO: 1)

Please replace the paragraphs beginning on page 27 at lines 7 and 23 16 with the following rewritten paragraphs, respectively:

D. Synthesis of the pentadecapeptide (Ref No. 9405): (SEQ ID NO: 1)

Leu<sup>1</sup>-Arg-Ile-Val-Gln Cys-Lys-Ser-Val-Glu-Gly-Ser-Cys-Gly-Phe<sup>15</sup> (cyclic disulfide) (SEQ ID NO: 10)

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 300 at line 40 with the following rewritten paragraph:

Tyr-Leu-Arg-Ile-Val-Gln-Cys-Arg-Ser-Val-Glu-Gly-Ser-Cys-Gly-Phe (cyclic disulfide) (SEQ ID NO: 19)